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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R §§1.97 and 1.98, it is requested that the following references, which are also listed on the attached electronic form PTO/SB/08a, be made of record in the above-identified case.

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Applicants are submitting copies of the above-cited references required by 37

C.F.R. 1.98 (a)(2)(i) and (ii).

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